

Indian Institute of Technology Jodhpur

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NOTIFICATION

Date: 21st May 2024

Subject: Institute Sustainability Committee-reg.

On the recommendation of the Ranking Committee, the Director is pleased to constitute the following Institute Sustainability Committee:

1.	Prof. Meenu Chhabra Head, Centre for Emerging Technologies for Sustainable Development (CETSD)	Chairperson Ex-Officio
2.	Prof. Ram Prakash Dean (Infrastructure)	Member Ex-Officio
3.	Dr. Chandana N. Assistant Professor, CETSD	Member
4.	Dr. Rajyalakshmi Garaga Assistant Professor, CETSD	Member
5.	Dr. Alok Ranjan Affiliated Faculty, CETSD	Member
6.	Dr. Trishikhi Raychoudhury Associate Professor, Dept. of Civil & Infrastructure Engineering	Member
7.	Dr. Prasenjeet Tribhuvan Assistant Professor, School of Liberal Arts (SoLA)	Member
8.	Mr. Anand Padegaonkar Executive Engineer (Civil)	Member
9.	Dr. Kshema Prakash, Member-Convener, Ranking Committee	Member
10.	Dr. Anugya Shukla Scientific Officer, CETSD	Member-Convener

Terms of Reference:

- 1. Strategic Focus & Planning: Ensure that sustainability initiatives receive focused attention and are integrated into the Institute's strategic plans by identifying long-term sustainability goals and objectives aligned with the Institute's Vision and Mission.
- 2. Policy Development: Responsible for formulating and drafting sustainability policy, guidelines, and standards that govern the Institute's practices related to energy conservation, waste reduction, carbon footprint reduction, constituting environmental stewardship, social responsibility, and economic resilience; and ensure that these policies are effectively communicated and implemented throughout the institute.
- 3. Coordination and Collaboration: Serve as a central coordinating body for various sustainability efforts, fostering collaboration and partnerships among internal and external stakeholders of the Institute, facilitating Interdisciplinary Collaboration and knowledge-sharing to leverage collective expertise and resources for sustainable development initiatives.

- 4. Community Engagement and Awareness: Work towards fostering a culture of sustainability in the Institute by promoting sustainability awareness campaigns, educational programs, and events that engage the campus community and raise awareness about environmental, and social, aspects of sustainability.
- 5. *Implementation of Initiatives*: Oversee the implementation of sustainability initiatives and projects across various areas, such as energy efficiency, waste reduction, water conservation, biodiversity preservation, sustainable transportation, health, and climate action by ensuring that these initiatives are effectively executed and aligned with established goals and priorities.
- 6. Monitoring and Evaluation: Monitor and evaluate the Institute's progress towards sustainability goals and targets by conducting periodic reviews and assessments to track outcomes, measure impact over time for an informed decision-making and continuous improvement in sustainability performance.
- 7. Reporting and Recognition: Prepare periodical sustainability reports communicating the Institute's sustainability practices and performance, to internal and external stakeholders; provide inputs for the Institute's participation in sustainability rankings, assessments, and certifications to benchmark progress and gain recognition for sustainability leadership.
- 8. Adaptation to Changing Trends and Regulations: Ensure to stay abreast of the developments in this rapidly evolving field, with new trends, technologies, and regulations to ensure that the Institute remains proactive in addressing emerging sustainability challenges and opportunities.
- 9. Sustainability Documentation: To prepare/update the necessary documentation related to sustainability (including those required for the QS Sustainability Ranking) and upload them on the website (with the help of appropriate office/section) of the Institute, in timely manner.
- 10.Inputs for Institute Ranking and Administrative Purposes: To provide required inputs to the Ranking Committee for filling in the data related to the QS Sustainability Ranking, and other administrative purposes, as and when required.

Quorum: 50%

Frequency of Meeting: As and when required.

(Dr. Hari Om Yadav) Registrar

To:

- 1. The Chairperson and all Members of the Committee
- 2. All Deans/Professor-in-charge(s)/Associate Deans/Head of Deptts./Centers/Schools/Division
- 3. All Faculty Members
- 4. All Staff Members
- 5. Webmaster for uploading in the INTRANET of the Institute's Website

Copy to - for kind information

- 1. The Director
- 2. The Deputy Director